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Manager. Hongkong, November 6, 1893. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

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Intimations.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED:

OTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Orrices, Victoria Buildinge; on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday the 15th, to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER,

period no Transfer of Shares can be regis-

Secretary. Hongkong, January 8, 1894. THE WEST POINT BUILDING

COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the HAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's OFF des, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12.30 o'clock, for the

purpose of receiving the Report of the Board

of Directors, togother with the Statement

of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY. the 20th, to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be regis-

By Order of the Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Inventment and Agency Co., Ld.; General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Ld.

Houghong, January'8, 1894. THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, Connaught House, on FRIDAY, the 12th day of January, 1894, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th September, 1893, and for the election of Directors and Auditors. -

By Order, A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary. Hongking, December 30, 1893. THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTIOE is hereby given that an EXTRA. the Company's OFFICE, No. 1, Duddell Street, at Noon, on MONDAY, the 22nd day of January, 1894, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 6th January, 1894, will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions :-

1 .- That the Liquidator be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sell and transfer the whole of the Cornpany's business and property to a N. w 'Company, to be incorporated with limited liability under the 'Companies' Ordinances, 1865 to 1891, and to be named the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MIN-ING COMPANY, LIMITED, with a Capital of \$150,000 divided into 50,000 shares of \$3 each, with the usual power to

increase and reduce the same. -That the Draft Contract for sale sub mitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidiron of the one part, and the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to Section 149 of the 'Companies' Ordinthe sale and transfer of this Company's business and property to the said New Company (when incorporated) for the considerations and upon the terms set forth in the said Draft, and to carrythe said into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expe-

CARL GEORG. Cincidator. Hongkong, January 6, 1894.

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE First Ordinary General MEERING. of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICE of the Company, No. 9 Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 20th January, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to the Slat October, 1893

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th; both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. A. DUFF. Secretary. 54 Hongkong, January 6, 1894.

KOWLOON HOTEL

THIS HOTEL will be REMOVED on the let of JANUARY MEXT, to the BLEASANTLY SITUATED and COM-MODIOUS Premises, formerly known as the "Kowloon Clou," which will be thoroughly renovated and refurnished." MACRIFICENT GARDEN AND PROMENADE.

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Business Notices.

TZ EROSINE WARMING STOVES.

KEROSINE COOKING STOVES.

AMERICAN COAL STOVES.

Fenders and Fire Irons.

TENNIS NETS and POLES.

TENNIS BATS and BALLS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 29, 1893

PENINSULAR NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

NAGASAKI AND. SHANGHAI. Malua About 15th Jan Freight or Passage. LONDON, &c Ganges Noon, 18th Jan See Special Advertisement.

MARSEILLES .. Manila About 19th Jan Freight or Passage. SHANGHAI Canton About 22nd Jan Freight or Passage.

LONDON oid MARSEILLES. Bombay About 30th Jan. Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to

P. &), S. N. Oo, a Office, Hongkong, January 9, 1894.

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

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OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

62. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkpug, November 11, 1803.

HONGKONG TRADING CO.

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EIDER-DOWN QUILTS AND BLANKETS.

HONGKONG TRADING Co.. J. P. COTTAM;

Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

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HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey sengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty. R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. Telegraphic address 1,400 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL. **EXORLSION." Honghoug. A. B. C. Code.

HIS Magnificent HOTEL is situated at the most beautiful part of the Hira Districe; the Air is delightfully cool and brazing, the Temperature being at least 10 degrees lower than in the valley beneath. Luxuriously furnished, and Coising and Wines First-class.

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R. ISHERWOOD; Manager, Mount Austin Horit.

Hongkong, October 3, 1893.

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AMERICAN COOKING HEATING STOVES. OFFICE STOYES.

RANGING FROM \$3,00 FACH TO \$40.00 BACH LAMPS AND LAMP SUNDRIES. W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 6, 1874

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

OWING to MILITARY MANGEUVEER, the RANGE will be CLOSED from Tues-DAY, 9th Instant, to SATURDAY, 13th Inst. Consequently there will be NO COMPETI-

ED. ROBINSON, Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, January 8, 1894

NGAI BHANG, 22, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

DATTAN FURNITURE of Every Description. CHAIDS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &C., &C. Lalest Patteris, Best Workmanship.

Rattan Core, Split Rattan, Canton Roed and Sunderes of all kinds. Hotykong, November 17, 1893.

Notices to Consignees.

USTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAD

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

THE Steamship Giscla-having arrived Consignous of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND Godown Co., Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all-Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon, on the 14th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 14th Instant will be subject to rent. Bills-of-Lading will be countersigned

C. ZANELLA,

Hongkong, January 8, 1894. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Arratoon Apear having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 10th Instant, at Noon, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the WAN-

CHAI WAREHOUSH AND STORAGE CO., LTD., No Fire Lasurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, January 8, 1894.

Insurance. THE LION FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. 17E have This Day been appointed

AGENTS for the above Company, and are prepared to accept FIRE RISKS DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1891. To Let.

TO LET-FURNISHED. JOR Sixteen Months, from 1st April, No. 3, MOUNTAIN VIEW, THE

Apply, BY LETTER FIRST, to

ALFRED J. MAY. Victoria College. Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

TO LET. OFFICES in Victoria Buildings.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, November 13, 1893.

TO LET. NTO. 2, PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office suitable for OFFICES or CHAMBERS.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON; 13. Praya Centrul

Hongkong, March 1, 1893. HOUSE TO LET. FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

CYTEWART TERRACE, PEAR Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1894.

> TO LET. From 1st March, 1894.

THE PREMISES At QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, No. 72, presently occupied by the Pacific Mail and Occidental & ORIENTAL S.S. COS.

O. C. ANDERSON, ____ 13, Praye Central, Hongkong, January 5, 1894.

TO LET. WELLING HOUSES-BAHAR LUDGE, at the PEAK. STOLZENFELS, at the PEAR. No. 2, 'HILLSIDE,' at the PEAK.

> ROAD. Nos. 2 and 8, CHANCERY LAKE, No. 8, GLENEALY BUILDINGS. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. FLOORS in Elgin Street, Page STREET and STAUNTON STREET. FLOORS in No. 6 SHELLEY

THE WILDERNESS CAME

Nos. 1, 2 and 5, Victoria View, Kowloon, No. 11, KNOTSFORD TERRICE, KOW-OFFICES AND SHOPS-

FIRST FLOOR No. 4, Queen's Road Central, over the BANK OF GROUND FLOOR-Under Hono-Rong HoraL, Pedder's Struck PRAYA ORNERAL, OVER MONER. DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co.'s.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

BLUE BUILDINGS.

TUOK LOONO. ON the 28th Instant, TUUK LOONG

will REMOVE from 16 and 18. D'Aguilar Street, to Nos 6 and & Lynn-HUBST TERRACE.

Notices of Firms.

- NOTTOE.

THE BUSINESS hitherto Conducted by the MITSU BISHI SHA and MITSU BISHI COLLIERIES will from and after the let January, 1894, be carried on by a Limited Partnership, under the Style of the MITSU BISHI GOSHI-KWAISHA STRAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG (Mirsu Bishi Co., Lb.), of which M WASAKI BISAYA is the Managing

> NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. H. U. JEFFRIES.

NOTICE AT OTIOE is hereby given that the TRADE

MARKS of the CHU KWON LAN (朱篇篇) and CHU-YAU LAN
(朱有篇) Firms respectively, MARCFACTUREES of TOBACCO, have been duly

a.m., instead of as praviously advertised.
Cargo will not be received on hours after
3 p.m. prior to date of sailing.
For further information as to Passage he Registered in this Colony, purment to and Freight, apply to Ordinances 16 of 1873 and 8 of 1885.

OHU KWONG LAN ORU YAU LAN

Hongkong, January 5, 1894

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUGITON. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

FRIDAY, the 12th January, 1894, at 3.30 p.m., at Kowloon Horal, Kowloon,-AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES J. STRIETE & Co. with BALLS OURS &c. Complete. ONE FULL SIZE THURSTON 6

BALLS, CUES, &c., Complete.
ONE SET PYRAMID BALLS. BAR, and FIXTURE. ORE EXTENSION DINING TABLE, BRASS and ONE IRON BEDSTEADS MIRROR, PICTURES, &c. ONE AVIARY, 1 TRICYCLE, and

TERMS OF SALE .- As Chatomsey, J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

JINRICKSHAS.

Shipping.

Hongkong, January 5, 1894.

Steamers

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI FIZ AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

The Co.'s Steamship Diomed,
Dapt. Hannau, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 12th Latent.

and Ports on the YANGTSZE.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement offers.) (Taking Cargo at through rates to .. ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER

LIVERPOUL AND BREMEN.) The Steamship Capt. L. Mansay, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 16th Instant, at This Steamer has superior Accommoda-

tion for First and Second Class Passengers

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

Hongkong, January 8, 1894.

12 and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co. a Steamship Taiwan. D. Tillboun, Commider above on TUESDAY, the 16th January.

The attention of Passengers in three telesters and the color to the Superior Accommodation offere this Steamer. First-class Saloon

is situated forward of the Engines.

supply of Fresh Provisions during the

A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the

entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon i For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, December 29, 1893, ___ 2231_

FOR LONDON WIA SUEZ CANAL The Co. a Steamship Capt. Barwiss, will be despatched as above or WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant. For Preight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & BWIRE

OCEAN STRAMBHIP COMPANY

Hongkong, January 4, 1894. SHELL LINE. FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON.

The Steamship Bullmouth Captain Scorn will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 30th Instant. For Fraight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co.,

Shipping.

Steamers. USTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE

AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT). COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID SOT BRINDISI, VENICE, KIUME AND

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-OUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF. RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIO PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. F. Kossovicu, wil TO MORROW, the 10th Inst., at 10 o'clock

C. ZANELLA. Hougkong, January 9, 1894.

Company's Office.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, PIA

SHANGBAL The Co.'s Steamship Hiroshima Maru, Capt. MicMillan, will be despatched as above on or about the 10th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply at the

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA Hongkong, January 5, 1894. GLEN LINE OF STRAM PACKETS POCKET BILLIARD TABLE, with FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON,

FIA BUEZ CANAL The Steamship despatched as above on or about the lith instant.
This Steamer has superior Accemmodetion for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewarden.

Agentang world ben Hongkong, January 3, 1894. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND DALOUTTA

For Ereight or Passage, apply to . H. E. .

JARDINE, MATHESON & COL

The Steamship

Capt. J. E. Harsen, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 13th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSODN, SONS & O.

Hongkong, January 8, 1894. USTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI & KOBE.

The Car's Steamship Captain FELLARB, will leave for the above places on the 14th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to O ZANELLA

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The Steamship Captain Vyvyant will be despatched for the bove Ports on or about the 22nd Instant.

Hongkong, January 6, 1894.

Hongkong, January 6, 1894. Sailing Vessels.

BODWELL, OXKLILL & Co.,

For Freight Or Passage, apply to

FOR NEW YORK The 100 A.F. British Ship Connon, Master, will load here have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

BHENAN & Co.

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Hongkong, December 8, 1893. 2167 FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. British Ship GUTHLIE, Meator will load here los the above Port, and will have quick despatch:

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, December 1, 1803.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L. I. American Ship

Kenilporth

Banks Measter upw at Bhanghal, will load here for the above Poet, and will have quick desperali. For Freight, apr ly to

HEILENAS & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1891. 2089.



Wine and Spirit Merchants. 18, Quant & Roll.

Hongkong, August 18, 1801.

-	Mails.
	NOTICE.
1	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGIRIES. MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.
-	STEAM FOR BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA.
	OOLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,
1	MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX;
	PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

HO-MORROW, the 10th January,

1394, at Noon, the Company's S.S. YARRA, Commandant DE MATBEUGE. with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and OARGO, will leave this Port for the Choye places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and accopted in transit through Marseilles for the Shipping Orders will be granted -Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 on

the 9th January, 1894. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be lot at the Agency's Office.),
Contents and value of Packages For further particulars, apply

Company's Office. G. DE OHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, January 9, 1894



STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA. VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTIN-

ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS

THE Steamship GANGES, Capt. G. W. ATKINSON, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 18th January, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports. (This Steamer connects at Bombay with the S.S. ORIENTAL, which Vessel takes on her Cargo for LONDON, vid SUEZ. CANAL, leaving that port on the 10th FEBRUARY, 1894).

Bilk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo Into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed vid Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contants and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

Notices to Consignees.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTION TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Keemun having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in formed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and al Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 11th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th Inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after

the 11th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unloss notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, January 5, 1894.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Irene, Captain R. SCHUDER, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter. they appear in the Daily issue. signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

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are to be left in the Godowns, where they will scribers, on their addresses being forwarded Wosang, for Systow. be examined on the 11th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Piro Insurance has been effected. STEMBSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, January 4, 1894.

Entertainments.

TTONGKONG AMATEU DRAMATIC CLUB will give

PERFORMANCES OF THE COMIC OPERA PRINCESS TOTO, BY GILBERT & CLAY, on the following dates:-EVENING.

9th), and 13th, (January Curtain rises at 9 p.m. precisely each night.

PRIOES :- \$3, \$2, \$1. Seats for any or all of the Performances can be booked at Messrs. LANE, CREWFORD & Co.'s, from 10 s.m. Books of the words of the songs, price 15

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Y SPECIAL REQUEST an EXTR. PERFORMANCE of PRINCESS TOTO WILL BE GIVEN ON TUESDAY, the 16th January, 1894, at 4 p.m.

Positively the Last Performance of this Successful Comic Opera. Booking Office open at 1.1 a.m. on the 8th Instant. Special Rates for Children.

Hongkong, January 9, 1894 2219 TARC'S MARIONETTES FANTOCHES FRANCAISES, EVERY EVENING, at 9 p.m.,

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MACMILLAN, British ship, Captain Robt. Guthrie.—Government. MARY BLAIR, British barque, Capt. Thos.

Askin .- Master. WM. J. ROTOH, American ship, Capt. S. Lancaster. - Melchers & Co.

To-day's Advertisements. THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS

& SHIPBUILDERS, HONGKONG. NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE Third Annual General MEETING of MEMBERS will be held in the ROOMS, No. 13, Praya Central, on MON-DAY, the 22nd January, at 8 45 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of Managing Committee and Statement Accounts to the 31st December, 1893.

ROBERT MITCHELL, Hon. Fecretary. Hongkong, January 9, 1894

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHAR COMPANY.

STEAMSHIP VICTORIA, FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO. HAMA AND KOBE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Conto send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con alguees' risk and expense. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 9, 1894.

WEEKLY NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail, TS PUBLISHED to suit the Departure of each English and French Mail Formose, for Systow. Steamer for Europe. It contains special Commercial intelligence, special tables of Shipping, and other information. The various Reports of Courts and Meetings and all other news, are given in full as

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAIWANFOO AND TAKOW. The Co.'s Steamship Capl. BATHURST, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 11th Instant, at Noon, and not as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers: Hongkong, January 9, 1894.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT.) (Taking Cargo & Passingers at through rates for NINGPO, OHREOO, THENTSIN, NEWOHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the VANGITAGE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Hood, will THURSDAY, the 11th Instant, at 4 p,m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., · General Managers.

Hongkong, January 9, 1894. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. HMITED.

FOR AMOY AND MANILA. TaSt wap Som Liang, in Deep, will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 13th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTER FRED . SYLES.

Hongkong, January 9, 1894, THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL Chinese. The Co. '- Steamship 0 H KEMP, Comm'der, will be despatched as above on or about the 20th Instant.

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VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

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MAKES SPLENDID TODDY.

SHIPPING

ARRIXALS January 9:-

Kungpai, Chipese steamer, from Canton. Pronto, Germin steamer, 632, Bohn, Moji January 4, Coal - Siemssen & Co. Yarra, French sir., 2,084, de Maubeuge Shanghai January 6, Mails and General .-MESSAGERIES MIRITIMES.

Yung Ching. Chinces str., 761, R. Harris Wuhn January 4, Rice .- C. M. S Mongkut, British steamer, 862, Charles Stonham, Bangkok Dec. 30, and Ang-hin

Jan. 1. General -YUEN FAT HONG. Teheran, British steamer, 1,684, Francis Cole, Bombsy December 18, and Singapore

Jan. 1, General -P. & O. S. N. Co. Activ. Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom Pakhoi January 4, and Hoihow 7, General Victoria, British stenmer, 1,992, John

Panton, R. N. B., Tacoma, Wash., December 14. General .- DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Ningpo, German steamer, 762, Th. Lehmann, Shanghai January 6, General.-STEMSSEN & Co. Haiphong, French str., 874, H. Galletti

Haiphong January 6, Rice. - MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. DEPARTURES.

Sachten, for Europe. &c. Nanyang, for Wuhu.

Tamarind, for Hongay, Bugdo, for Saigon. Tsukushi Maru, for Saigon. Loksang: for Syatow. Lennox; for Sligapore and New York. Avochie: for Balgon. Feiching, for Shanghai. Yuensang, for Amov.

The Overland China Mail will be regularly Independent, for Bangkok.

-PABSENGERS. Per Yarra, for Hongkong ; from Shanghai, Mr Yung Wye Kee, (2) Massrs Lee, 6 secretaries and 4 servants, Mesers Wai Che ressels Advertised as Loaling.

Date of Leavin. Aphils. Vessels. Destinatio. Amoy and Manila Sungkiang (8) Butterfield & Swire ... Jan. 13, at 4 p.m. Shewan & Co..... About Jan. 30. Hamburg and London Bullmouth (s)....... Japan: Ancona (8) P. & O. S. N. Co..... Jan. 19, at noon. Arnhold, Karberg & Co. About Jan. 20. London, v. Ports of Cal Kintuck (s)..... Butterfield & Swire January 17. London, v. Suez Com Pelomichus (s).... P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Jan. 30. London, v. Marseillus. Bombay (8)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Jan. 22. London and Hamburg Jarmarthonshire (s). Messageries Maritimes Jan. 10, at noon. Marseilles. v. -Saigon Yarra (8)..... Jardine, Matheson & Co About Jan. 11. Marseilles & London. Glenogle (6)...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... Jan. 12, at noon, Nagasaki and Kobé ... Poheran (s)..... Shewan & Co.....Quick despatch. New York...... Kenilworth..... ... Shewan & Co.,...... Quick despatch. Bangalore Butterfield & Swire ... January 16. Port Darwin, &c l'aiynan (8) S. Francisco, v. Japa Pera (8)..... S. Francisco, v. Japa Pocanio (s)...... San Francisco...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Jan. 15. Valwa (a)..... P. & O. S. N. Co.... About Jan. 22. Butterfield & Swire... January 12. Shanghai, via Amoy. Aust. Lloyd's S. N. Co Jan. 14, at noon. Shanghai & Kobe Liroshima Maru (s)... rippon Yusen Kaisha. About Jan. 10. Shanghai, Kohé&Y'm Siemssen & Co...... Jan. 16, at Won. S'pore, Havre & H'buc S'pore, Penang & C'tt | treatoou Apear (a) D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Jan. 13, at noon Swatow, Amoy & T'io | Thales (a)...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Jan. 11, at noon. Trieste, &c.....Jan. 10, at 10 a.m.

Foung, Dang, Dang, Conningham, Harris, POST OFFICE NOTICES. Wood, Morton, Mess Louise Johnston, Mr Powell, Rev. and Mr. Bowle. Mr and Mrs Mertens; from Yokohama, Mesars Schusler, Meinitz and Sogo; from Kobe, Mesars Tavia and Argella From Shanghai: for Singa fore, Mr. Mrs and Miss Marianos and 3 children. Mrs Kreitner; for Colombo Mr Grout's servant; for Marseilles, M Grout, Mr and Mrs Hurl, Mrs Lane, Mr Graham, Messrs Borisewith, Pedro Montaguo and Bozee. From Yokohama: for Saigon, Mr and Mrs D ceul, Messrs Georges and Mazich; for Singapore, Mesers Pagel, Hawkins, Capt. Powell, and Rdv. Urch for Colombo, Mr Skeen; for Maraeilles, Mr Dourrey. From Kobe; for Singapore, Mr de Souza, Mr and Mrs Fischer, Mrs Gard

ner. Messrs Kusano, and Okura; for Marseilles, Revs. Evington and Daniel. Per Yung Ching, from Wahu, 2 Chinese. Per Mongkut, from Bangkok, 43 Chinese. Per Activ. from Pakhoi, 45 Chinese.

Per Victoria, from Tacoma, &c., Miss Ethel M. Webb, Mr William Harrison, and .04 Chinese. Per Ningpo from Shangbai, Mr and Mrs Lynbory, and 31 Chinese. Per Haiphong, from Haiphong, 1 Euro- MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-

pean, and 11 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Sachsen, from Hongkong : for Sings ore, Messrs C. H. Erwin, A. T. Lockard Professor Dr. Emil Selenka; and Mrs Selenka, Mr Henry Morris, Mr and Mrs Lo La Sang, Mossrs Chenn King Year, Lee Cheoog, Ghu Kee, 4 Chinese, and I Singhalese ; for Colombo, Messrs Winkler and Ah Ching; for Southampton, Mr Peter Hean; for Bremen, Mrs Merz, 2 children and European servant. From Shanghai; for Singapore, 1 Chinese; for Southampton, Mrs von Tungelmann, Mr G. Kavanagh. From Japan: for Colombo, Mr Wismer, and Director Rumschoettel; for Genoa, Mr M. olleway; for Bremen, Capt. and Mrs Gefken, Capt. Sander, Messrs H. Dilsch-

mann, H. Waller, A. Heidmann, and H. Ruinoke. Per Avochie, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. Per Feiching, for Shanghai, 10 Chinese. Per Yuensung, for Amoy, 2 Europeans,

and 25 Chinese. Per Stura, for Singapore, 596 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Independent, for Bangkok, 12 Chi-Per Wosang, for Swatow, 40 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Chinese steamer Yung Ching reports: east wind and renderate size to Darnebout. Turnabout to Hongkong, moderate and fine weather. Passed P. & O. mail steamer off

Turnaboù t. The British steamer Mongkut reports Left E'ly winds and fine weather to Pulo Obi. Pulo Obi to arrival had strong monsoon weather, with high N.E'ly sea, vestel pitching heavily and shipping water over The British steamer Teheran reports

Left-Singapore lat Jan , and encountered a light N.E. wind, with N.E. awell, immediately after passing the Horcburgh Shoal, both increasing as Northing was made. In lat. 6' N., long. 108° E., the wind became, fresh, but the swell was moderate; the latter however had sensibly increased when lat. 8° N., long. 110° E., was reached, and in lat. 41 N., long. experienced, but the wind did not excreed 5. In lat. 16' N. long. 113"E., the wind and sea began to increase rapidly, the sky until lat. 20° N., long, 113° 40' E., was reached, when wind and sea gradually decreased to arrival. .. Note .- Between the Parallels of 11° N., and 17° N., strong

Northerly currents were experienced. The Danish steamer Activ reports : Had fresh to moderate breeze from North, with clear weather. The British steamer Victoria reports

Left Tacoma 14th Pecember, at 9.20 a.m. and Victoria, B.C., at 7.20 a.m., 15th Dec Had strong head winds and sea to Meridian, which was crossed in 50° N. lat., on the 24th December. On the 25th December, a heavy gale from the N E. was experienced. with very heavy sea, which continued until the 27th, after which strong N.W. gale was experienced until the 29th. Arrived Yokohama at 7 a.m., 31st December, and left samo afternoon at 3.30, via Kobeland Moji Had fine weather, and fresh N.E. monsoon

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY Per Gisela, at 9 s.m., on Wednesday, the 10th inst.

Per Hiroshima Maru. at 9 a.m., on Wedneadny, the 10th inst. For SHANGHAL -Per Catterthun, at 12.30 p.m., on Wednes-

For SHANGHAI & KOBE. -- >

day, the 10th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. Per Thales, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 10th inst. For HOIHOW & PAKHOL -.

Per Activ, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, th

10th inst. For SWATOW & DELE. viously notified. For KOBE. -

Per Whampon, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 11th inst.

after Noon landed.

Pacific Mail S. S. Co. Jan. 13, daylight.

O. & G. S. S. Co. Jan. 24, daylight.

Shewan & Co. Quick despatch.

Jardine, Matheson&Co Jan. 11, at 4 p.m.

MAILS will close:-For SWATOW & BANGKOK .-Per Taichiow, at 7.30 a.m., on Friday,

the 12th inst. For SINGAPORE & BANGKOK .-Per Loo Sok, at 10.30 a.m., on Friday, the 12th inst For SWATOW & BANGKOK -Per Mongkut, at 7.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 13th inst.

For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Per Arratoon Appar, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 18th inst. For AMOY & MANILA.-Per Sungkiang, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 13th inst.

For SINGAPORE. Per Priok, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 16th inst. Per Teheran, from Bombay, &c., 199 For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Verona, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, - the 19th inst. For KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA

TACOMA.

the 23rd inst. The French Contract Packet Yarra will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

Per Victoria, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

he usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. -The United States Mail Packet Peru will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 12th Instant, with Mails for Macao, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-

.45 P.M. Registry ceases. 5.00 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .- " The British Contract Packet Ganges will b despatched on THURSDAY, the 18th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlemen's, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co.'s PACKET .---The British Contract Packet Empress of China will be despatched on WEDNES-DAY, the 24th January, with Mails

for Shanghai, Japan, Canada, the United States of America, and countries beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. (0 A.M. Regis:ry closes. 11.30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the

Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until time of departure. HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in becoming overcast and the weather squally, closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the and in lat. 18' N., a fresh N.N.E. gale was | English and French Packets, when they blowing, with a high sea. This continued leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. - Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. -Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -Mail closes TATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee, up to

11.30 a.m., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

PEAK DELIVERY .- Letters, &c., will pe delivered by the 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels. for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of Departure. With regard to letters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Cap, by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped

Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up

across them. Covers containing Bank

Notes, &c. should be registered.

to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Per Tai Lee, at 8.30 a.m., on Thursday, Kowloon are requested to cancel their the 11th inst., instead of as pre- stamps by writing the word stamped across

Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery There will be no Sunday delivery.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. 10 a.m. -Gisela leaves for Trieste, &c.

Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports Call and Europe. Amusements. 3 p.m. - D'Aro's Marionettes and Fantoches Francaises at West Point

9 p.m. D'Arc's Marionettes and Fantoches Francaises at West Point. Miscellaneous. Goods per Arratoon Apear undelivered

General Memoranda.

TRURSDAY, January 11 :-Goods per Irene undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Keemun undelivered after thi date subject to rent. FRIDAY, January 12:-

Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Punjom Mining Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office. 3.30 p.m .- Auction of Billiard Tables; -&c., at Kowloon Hotel, Kowloon. SATURDAY, January 13:-9 p.m.-A. D. C. Performance at City

SUNDAY, January 14:-Goods per Gisela undelivered after thi date subject to rent. Monday, January 15 :--Register of Shares of The Hongwong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld.,

closed from this date to 24th Instant. inclusive. TUESDAY, January 16 :-4 p.m. -A. D. C. Performance at City SATURDAY, January 20 :-- ,--Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Brick & Cement Co., Ltd.,

in the Company's Office.
Register of Shares of The West Point date to 24th Instant, inclusive: MONDAY, January 22 :-Noon.-Extraordinary Meeting of The Balmeral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office. 8.45 p.m. - Meeting of Members of The Institution of Engineers & Shipbuilders, Hongkong, at No. 13, Praya Central.

WEDNESDAY. January 24:-Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Cos, Ld., at the Company's Offices. 12.30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The West Point Building Co., Ld., at the Company's Offices.

Exchange. Hongkong, January 9, 1894.

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TELEGRAMS.

HONGEONS, TURBDAY, JANUARY 9, 1894.

SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL.

MATABELELAND—ESCAPE OF LOBENGULA. LONDON, Jan. 7, 1894. Lobengula has reached the Zambesi with two thousand warriors:

THE SIERRA LEONE MIS-

ADVENTURE. TURTHER PARTICULARS. The French attacked the British camp before dawn, the British replying to theirfire. Fighting lasted for forty minutes, when the French withdrew, their commander, Lieutenant Moritz, being wounded. He was brought into camp, where he some time after died. His explanation · Building Co., Ld., closed from this was that he mistook the British troops for a party of the Sofas tribe. Ten French were killed, and the list of killed belonging to the West Indian regiment includes Lieutenants Liston and Wroughton, sergeant and four privates; fifteen others of the regiment being severely wounded. The troops on both sides, natives, French Noon. - Maching of Shareholders of The and English slike, and also the Prese discuss the affair in the light of an unhappy mistake. Colonel Ellis, commanding the expedition, has written to the French commander stating that friendly relations have not been disturbed by the unfortunate

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL DUTWARD BOUND : - Pemptos, Genua, Nov. 17; Benlemond, 21; Dunbeth, Dec. 1; Canton, Wennington Hall, Conch, 15; Dophne, 22; Kaison, 30.

OBEWARD BOUND :- Strathleven, Nov. 7

Strathdon, 28 ; Cardiganehire, Dec. 1;

Benjawers, Pakling, 12; Polyphenus,

Aden. 19 ; Caledonien; Priam, 22. The M. M. Co.'s steamer Oceanien. with the FRENCH MAIL of December 8, left Saigon on Monday, January 8, at 1 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 11th Jan. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Nov. 1 The P. & O. s. s. Malwa, with the Eng-

on Monday, January 8, at 6 a.m., and may be expected here about 10 a.m. on Sunday, the 14th inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Nov. 9. The O. & O. s. s. Oceanic, with mails, &c., -left San Francisco, for this port, wie Honolula and Yokohama, on Dec. 23.

The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with

THE MAIL of Dec. 15 left Singapore

mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on Dec. 80. The O. S. S. Co.'s a. s. Diomed left Sin-

gapore on Jan. 2, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 10. The Glen Line s. s. Glenorchy, from Antwerp, London and Straits, left Sings. pore on Jan. 3, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 10. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Telamon left

pected here on or about Jan. 11. The D. D. R. s. s. Aglaia, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on Jan. 7, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 14. The Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Possidon, from

Singapore on Jan. 4, and may be ex-

Trieste, left Singapore for this port on Jan 5, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 15. The P. & O. S. N. Co. s s. a. Canton left Bombay for this port on Dec. 30. THE P. & O. S. N. Co,'s e. s. Formosa left

London for this port on the 16th Dec.

Tax minimum temperature recorded in

the open at Mount Kellett last night was 41

degrees Fahr. THE D'Arc Marionettes have become an -institution here, and they continue to draw full houses. There was a change of programme last evening, and the laughter and applause which accompanied the entire performance showed how the manniking sequitted thomsolves. It is a marvellously clever entertainment throughout, some portions of

it being clever almost beyond belief. That is to say, the wooderful caperings and lifelike movements of the little folks must be seen to be believed, and, when seen, one is puzzled over and over again with the doubt that there is an admixture of live figures on the stage, ruling and guiding the proceedings. The dancing was excellent. Sister Ann and Fatima's father in the pantomima were admirably played, while the harlequinade produced a romping and wildly funny series of caperings which live figures could not have accomplished. We can imagine how the youngsters will revel in the rattling humour and fun of that harleaulnade. Wednesdays and flaturdays are the S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. | children's afternoons.

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&c. should be registered.

MAILS IN 1893.

Our correspondent who was good enough to favour us with a statistical record of the arrival of the Home mails last year his self-imposed task, which have been the outcome of his labours during the year. The record is an interreaders will be surprised to learn that the P. & O. Company's steamers-Mr Henni- on the latter's gratitude for services ren- Björling, which is supposed to have been steamers of the same Company in 1892. established by the Oriental, which delivered from London. The steamers of the Messageries Maritimes, on the other hand, have done nothing remarkable, and maintained shout the same average as in the previous

From the figures supplied by our correspondent it would appear that the average time between the departure of twentysix Messagerles Maritimes steamers from Saigon and delivery of the mail in Hongwong was 80 hours, the same as in 1892. The average for the four months, May to August (S.W. monsoon), was about 741 hours as compared with 72 hours in 1892. The average for the four months, January-February, November December (N. monscon) was 86 or 3 hours less than 1892. The shortest time taken was 72 hours by the mail arriving by the Natal on 9th August, as compared with 70 hours by the Melbourne in August, 1892; and the longest time 100 hours by the mail arriving by the Salarie on the 17th November as compared with 106 by the Melbourne in De- The Viceroy, attended by many of the slee been handed over to the Swedish pay their respects on the 7th day. cember, 1892.

arrived. The average time between departure from Singapore and delivery of the mail in Hongkong was 5 days 9 hours, an improvement of 4 hours on the mean time in 1892. The average for the four months May to August was 4 days 18 hours as compared with 5 days 4 hours in 1892; and the everage for the four months, January-February, November-December, between despatch from Singapore and delivery in science and methods on which it rests, got crushed by the ice, if they were not Hongkong was a little over 6 days 1 hour corresponding months in 1892. The shortest time taken between deepstch from Sindays by the Oriental which arrived on lat May. This compares most favourably with Peninsular in July, 1892 ; but this steamer also improved on her performance of the in June of last year. The longest time between despatch from Singapore and delivery in Hon kong was in the case of the mail landed in 6 days 22 hours by the Robilla on 3rd December. The longest time taken in 1892 was by the Ferona-7 days 4 hours which arrived on 20th December.

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SCHOCL AT TIENTSIN. (N. Daily News Correspondent.)

Chinese education was inaugurated on the suffering. In the name of my colleagues I could not have believed walked the earth. 19th of December. We have at various have the honour of proposing success to. There were, however, some beautiful silk times during the past year referred to the this new college; may its training staff and banners, each borne by two men, and New School, so that only a bare recapitula- its students succeed in gaining the confi- which were quite worthy of the occasion. tion is here hecessary. Primarily the dence of their countrymen and may they A foreign lady who had the audacity reasons, shall be nameless. Suffice it school owes its inception to the late Dr for ever find satisfaction in their noble pro- to be present as a speciator same noar Kenneth McKenzie, who for many years fession: (Applause.) We devoutly hope spoiling the whole thing. As the pricets had the complete confidence of the great this institution will prove a blessing to this went along playing the funeral march one Northern Viceroy. Dr McKenzie systems | country and to this city especially. Times of them saw this foreign lady sitting among tically saved some of the liberal allowance may change; may they will change, but the native women at the corner of a street. placed at his disposal by the generosity of monuments like this, erected with deliber. He tried to make his companions aware of Li, Lady Li, and the wealthy officials, with ration and foresight, have a duration more the fact but could not do so until they had the distinct view of forming the nucleus of lasting than brass; the outcome of a gene- gone by several yards. Then it dawned a building fund. At his death there was rous heart and their object, the lasting upon them what an opportunity they had of which would last as long as a fortnight. some discussion as to the ewnership of this benefit of your countrymen. like all good missed; whereupon they all suddenly stopfund, but the London Mission and the deeds they last for ever. (Great cheers). the question to friendly arbitration; in the issue the money, whole or in great part, reverted to the Chinese. Dr McKenzie's scheme was not lost sight of, however. A lively interest in it was sedulously kept up in the yamen by the nucessing representsand sends us the accompanying tables tion of Mrs Doctor King and Dr Irwin. Mr King was an intimate friend of the Viceroy's late wife, herself a lady of great ability and energy, and who in all matters esting one in many respects. Many of our of charity exercised a boundless influence over her distinguished husband. Dr his discovery of relies of the Swedish scienti-Irwin's influence with the Viceroy is based fle expedition to the Arctic under Professor

ker Heaton's criticisms notwithstanding- dered in the capacity of medical attendant. lost :- I left St. John's on 7th May on a have been making better times than the The one musatisfactory feature of the wheling voyage to Davis Straits, and before inauguration ceremony was Dr Irwin's leaving was saked by the Swedish authorities absence in consequence of an attack of to keep a strict lookout for two Swedish During the year, in fact, a new record was influenza. At an expense of some Tls. scientists, Björling and Kalistennius, who acquaintance of mine stopped at a stall to 20,000, a large medical school has been had left St. John's, Newfoundland, during ercoted adjoining the hospital, and equipp- the summer of 1892, in the schooner Ripple, the mails in Hongkong within 24 days ed. It is understood that the funds for fifty tone, for the purpose of studying the its maintenance will be provided in part fauna and flora of Davis Straits. They from the revenue of the Haikuan Taotais | took with them three Newfoundlanders as a of-Chefoo and Tientsin. Twenty-three prew to navigate their vessel, and had on students - English-speaking - have been board seven months' provisions. I had enlisted chiefly in Shaughai and Ningpo, forced my way through Melville Bay, and and are to be maintained, i.e., lodged, had entered Smith's Sound, when, on boarded, and paid, during the entire period. 17th June, from the masthead of their curriculum. One of the very last my vessel, I descried the wreek acts of the late Sir Andrew Clark was to of a schooner on the south-east Carey appoint a graduate of Trinity College, Island in lat: 78.49 north, long 73.10 west. Dublin, to the position of Director of I immediately sent a search party on Studies and Resident Surgeon and Physi- shore, with Dr Allen in charge, and they cien. This gentlemen will arrive in the found the vessel to be the Ripple lying spring and will bring with him the appa- broadside on the beach, almost completely named Sung and had held the office for ratus for the chemical, physical, and covered with ice. They also discovered three years. He gave general satisfaction physiological laboratories. In the mean- the body of a man evidently hastily interred in the management of the affairs of the time the students are to be put through a underneath a number of stones. From the province, and the foreigners living within begin anatomy with French models in that it was one of the Newloundlanders had occasion to complain of his treatment. wax. In the existing condition of Chinese who accompanied the party. Near the We have on the other hand felt that he was centiment on the subject of dissection, we schooner a small cairs was observed, and exerting himself to protect us when danger fear that the day is far distant when this being broken into, a number of doon- seemed to threaten our safety, and, as a anatomy will be studied on the human ments, written by the missing scientists, matter of fact, we have enjoyed peace and subject. The students are pro tem. under were found with the request that wheever protection under his administration. Chin-two of Dr McKenzie's ablest men- | Nordenskield, or the nearest Swedish Con-Dr Irwin's services being retained as sul. There was also a letter addressed to 1,000, but that really only Tis. 300 reached Medical Adviser and Visitor. The entire | the Rev. Dr. Harvey. Newfoundland, and | the owner of the coffie. All the high offi-

leading provincial authorities, made a detailed inspection of the school and students. By P. and O. steamers twenty-five mails and manifested as usual a most intelligent curiosity and interest in every department, interviewing the lads and visiting their quarters as well as the class-rooms. After the inspection he held a reception of the Consular officials and some of the foreigners at en inaugural banques.

Mr. Lo Feng-lob, on behalf of the school and hospital authorities, addressed His Excellency as follows :- It is well known that Your Excellency has faith in the Western art of healing and the Head for ice. I think their boat must have and the fact that Your Excellency has come | already dead with cold or starvation, as that in person to perform this act of inaugura- part of the country is most bleak and as compared with 5 days 20 hours for the tion is a new proof of the importance Your Excellency attaches to this new creation they were depending upon meeting. which, as many others, is due to Your Excellency's initiative and exmest will to the month of August, 1892, after losing gapore and delivery in Hongkong was 4 uphold and promote what Your Extheir vessel, they could have reached one of cellency's keen perception has recognised as good and beneficial. On behalf of the Directors and all connected with the passage of 4 days 13 hours made by the the establishment of the Naval Medical N.-C. Dut y News. School, I beg to return thanks for your Excellency's presence on this occasion, which rewards them amply as it bids previous year by arriving in 4 days 3 hours fair for its future and those it is intended to educate for a noble profession, The presence of Your Excellency in this place to-night means the formal opening of an institution intended to render importent services to humanity at large and to China in particular. The building in which we are now is intended to abelter a school from a distinctly new class of our countrymen, whose vocation will be to learn and apply the art of healing and soothing suffering humanity and prolonging life with the means which science has discovered. and which the never resting perseverance and ingenuity of the human race will here-

> of mankind. of medicine We, foreigners and natives is the way free-will offerings are made in sum-Madame Patti and Madame Albani. alike, regard this both as a substantial China. proof of the keen interest Chinese statesmen take in Western medical science and as a signal illustration of the kindly intentions and disposition of a paternal government towards its suffering poor. For some fifteen years Your Excellency has manifested constant and lively interest in the beneficent work carried on in the hospital so liberally supported by yourself, your family, and your friends. Your Excellency has personal knowle go of the skill and devotion so constantly shows by the medical men who have been associated with the work here; and in giving so tangible and splendid a proof of your appreciation of this devotion and skill as this institution is, you tude of your country and the esteem of lent. Occasionally some tender-hearted those who love their fellow-men. In this person takes compassion on the poor little where. medical college you have added fresh laurels to a name already illustrious both inside culiarly virtuous. An acquaintance of mine, and outside of this buge and ancient empire. Sir, by this act of far-reaching and anmixed philanthropy you have shown to your own gracious Sovereign that you have the welfare of the poor and wretched at heart, as well as those higher interests which concern the dignity of the throne and the west of the State. We would with to include in magisterial procession is composed of the our admiration the directors of this new institution; your co-adjutors bave performed their task in a manuer which leaves nothing to be desired, and which gars of the city. It is such a procession as South Lembeth, S.W. writes latter being a present will never forget it. To night speaks volumes for their intelligence one would predently avoid in a Western city expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to there will be a grand ball at the Mairie, expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to and to married expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to an an arrived expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to an arrived expectations amply fulfilled as I am now able to a second interpretation at the married expectations.

statesmen met together in honour of the the funeral, at a cost of some Tls. 2,000. profession to which he is devoted; he would When it finally took place it construe their presence as a proof of kindly, decidedly the most motley procession interest and sympathy with the efforts of ever witnessed. Specimens of humanity This great and novel departure in human skill to lesson sorrow and mitigate were paraded on that occasion such as I His Excellency briefly, expressed his view the strange sight.

> THE FATE OF AN ARCTIC EX-PEDITION.

Captain M'Kay, of the steam whater Aurora, furnishes the following report of

reliminary course of chemistry and are to garments and other signs I am of opinion he care and tuition of Mesers Lin and found them would forward them to Baron is currently reported-that the commu medical administration will be under his all of these I have forwarded. There was cials of the city were present when the control as Dean of the School and Hospi- also a small trunk containing some scientific body was placed in the coshie. They potes, books, and instruments, which have all assemble, again on the 6th of January to ments that the party had been obliged to and lower officials will be advanced to fill abandon their vessel, at Carey Islands, the offices above their own until a new and then tried to make their way to Foulke Governor is apprinted. Fjord, but, after reaching Northumberland leland, they were forced to return to the Carey Tslands, where they remained until 10th October, 1892, the survivors afterwards in the Chinese service, and then presided proceeding in an open boat with the intention of making for Clarence Head or Cape Farrady, since when nothing more has been heard of them. My opinion is that they never reached their destination, as I myseli with a strong ship built for ice navigation, could not get within thirty miles of Clarence and uninhabited by natives, whom venture to say that, had they gone south in

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the Danish settlements, or met some of the

Dundee whalers, as I myself was inthe

country until 4th November of that year.'-

(N.-C. Daily News Correspondent.) The first few years I was in China I was struck with what appeared to be instances. of cherity among the natives. For include, I saw that whenever a load of coal was taken to a house, quite a number of persons gathered around it with bags, baskets, etc., and that they were all given a little coal. In 1888 Mario was offered £60 a month This seemed very praiseworthy. Of late for his first appearance, though this was, or years, however, I have observed that these course, largely the result of his romantic persons always slip payment into the history. Albani's salary at Coyout Garden hands of the carters. In other words I in 1847 was raised from \$500 to £2,000 the have found that it is a regular custom to day after her first appearance, singing as retail coal on a small scale in this way. It she was against Joney Lind at the opposibuture and learn to apply for the henefit is probable that on a closer examination a tion house. Suntag was paid £6,000 for a considerable proportion of Chinese charity season of six months at Her Majesty's Thewould be found to 'pan out' in the same atre in 1849. Rubini, who began his Later in the evening Baron you Secken- way. When the late famine was in pro- career at 13 years by singing, for five fraque dorf made un sloquent speech in dignified gress in Shaptung I was waited upon by a an air in a new drama by Lambett, made stately English. He said Vour Exect committee of native gentlemen, who were immense sums in later life, realising £2,000 lency and Gentlemen, the public both collecting contributions for the relief of at one concert in St. Petersburg. Unlike done, however, and I repaired forthwith to native and foreign hailed with delight your | the sufferers. I told them that we sent Mario and Mara, who both died in compara- my editor, whom I will call Don Manuel, Excellency's decision to establish a medical our contributions through foreigners at tive poverty, Rubini saved large sums, and In the course of a short confab. I explained service for the Imperial Army and Navy in Tientein who did not take a percentage left behind him one of the largest fortunes, to him the position of affairs. Don this province and North Chins ; this satis. for their trouble. A trustworthy native ever amassed on the operatio stage. Jenny Manuel, I concluded the eyes of the faction was greatly enhanced when you afterwards told me that of the money Lind was naturally paid enormous sums in lian Press are upon us! The noble French determined to extend the usefulness of the thus raised not one half would ever be the course of her triumphant career. During and Italian colonists in our midst await Viceregal Charity Hospital, so ably founded used for the purpose mentioned. A native a tone of two years through the States, with bated brouth the news of the meeting and conducted by the late Kenneth Mo- who was formerly wealthy told me that commenced in 1850, she made £20,000, of their respective fleets in the Hay Kenzie, M.D., by attaching to it a medical when a famine raged in Shanei some years gaining a husband as well! These pecuni- Genoa! Shall we deny it them ! Shall college and clinic. To-day we celebrate ago the local magistrate sent to him for a ary traditions are adequately preserved by we refrain from publishing it, when you the inauguration of a carefully matured donation of eighty thousand cash, which at least two present-day suggests, to whom a see before you the man who auticipates scheme and an admirably equipped school he duly paid. He says that generally this bundred or two for a concert is an ordinary this glorious news and knows for a fact

> that the teachers invariably deny its exist- £1,20) a night. - Chambers's Journal. ance until confronted by evidence such as they cannot gainery. The people, on the other hand, readily admis that many female infants are thus treated. We not unfrequently see enough to convince us that this inhuman habit is at least somewhat provaa Oblinese, has rescued two of these little girls and brought them up as his own.

A MUTLEY TH CORO. It is amosing to see what a Olrinoman in his simplicity regards as glory. A ragteg and bobtail of the community. When the fu magistrate goes forth in state the standard begrere are always the begof his hopes; he would, we are sure, rejoice The man had been dood about a year, don, S.E.

HORTLY after moon to-day fire broke out in OPENING OF THE NEW MEDICAL at seeing so many distinguished Chinese Great preparations had been made for REVELATIONS OF A NEWS CLERK.

Within three miles from where I 8 p.m.; he seemed in exceptionally good there is a Sacred Leader. It is on the health and vigour, and was in very high ontakirts of a large village. On the 15th day of the first month of the Chinose year | the importance of the position held by me all the heads of families in that village are at that time. With all the European Press expected to climb to the top of that ladder | news at my command, the principal busias a means of propitiating the local deities | ness people of the city in question never and securing good-luck for the villagers | coased showing their desire to keep in with during the current year. The external me, on account of my being better versed spect of the village is such that one who in European commercial items than they sees it cannot say that the method thus employed of securing prosperity has been grams. This I had special opportunities of successful. Nevertheless the inhabitants noting during the first silver crisis, the at hand, and overtook me in all my wicked-

> believe in it as firmly as ever. We all know how useful a Chinaman's coket handkerchief-is to him. He finds it indispensable. The Chinese wonder that forvendor was told to wrap it up, 'Where's your handkerchief?' he asked. eigners do not use our handkerchiefs for such a purpose,' it was replied. This surprised the dealer, who as he went to look for a sheet of paper kept saying sloud: Just think of it! Foreigners don't use handkerchiefs to wrap up candy! Ha!

Daily News writes :- The Governor of the

Chakiang province died in this city on the 29th of December. He was a Manchu the bounds of his jurisdiction have never which his remains were placed cost Tla. Treasurer is to fill the office of Governor

Sour time during the middle of last month. says the N.-C. Daily News, a number of robbers visited the premises of the Roman of the 'leading British daily." The natives following:-Catholic priests at Kahding, and succeeded would stick out their breests, awalling with from the place. The two leaders of the band | of seven years 1 took a package each, while the other two were divided amongst the rest. The

The prisoner also gave information as recall the face of my editor when I told published the next news, and it caused to the place at Hungjao, a short distance from | was the year when, in September, the | matic correspondence, and gapsequently this, stating that the eader of the band was French squadron, intended visiting Genea, was never banished par got the sack. the head fisherman in that vicinity. As for his own band, besides the Kahding robbery, and it was stated that great political imthey had been conserned since them in three others. Warrants are now out for the men named by the prisoner.

It is current knowledge that the usual terms Kinz Humbert as autograph letter from In a pamphlet on The Diseases of China of the former are £800 per concert in London President Carnot? How near does this (Glasgow, 1877), on the 58th page, it is and £400 in the provinces; and it was an bring us to the proposed union of all the stated: One thing is certain, infanticide does nounced the other day that for a prospective Littin nations | and last, not least, what not prevail to the extent so generally believed four in the States during which she is to price the Triple Alliance after the meeting among us; and in the North, whence Europe give about 45 performances-some at the Chiderived her ideas chiefly from the Jesuits of eago Exhibition—she will receive £40,600. last century, it does not exist at all. This or £900 per concert, plus all travelling statement would not be true of Shanei, where expenses. Madame Patti lately refused an the practice is all too common. It is found offer of a tour in Brazil at a remuneration of ing with joy. So salvo le patria ! Publish

and Quinine Liver Pills, without Mercury; are a following, which appeared next day in all potent semedy; remove all liver and Stomach our leading papers; Complaints, Biliousness, Readache, Sickness, Shoulder Pains, Heartburn, Indigestion, Constipation. Made only in London. Sold every-

of completely curing all forms of Deafness, Head follows: (here a long speech), to which Noises, &c., is being recommended all over Admiral - replied in these terms : (anthe world. Numerous unsolicited testimonials, ather speuch). The breakfast on board the Thomas Bichards, Esq, of 4, Dawlish Street, ___ was of municul magnificence, and those and real. We would not forget you Ex.

If we could imagine it as existing there, and real without the least effort, and the consummation of one of the largest towns of the province.

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I lately witnessed a foneral of unusual the test effort, and the carlo Felice Theatre in honour of the largest towns of the headman again. Pampulet with full advice post free, illustrious French guests. On Thursday of one of the largest towns of the province.

H. Clifton, 51, Upper Kennington Lane, Lon-the French Admiral will give a grand

Somebody sends to Tit-bits the following yarn concerning the manner in which newspaper telegrams are sometimes ! faked !:-HOW CABLEGRAMS ARE SOMETIMES MADE.

I was employed during seven years as cable translator and news clerk in a South American cable office, which, for obvious say, however, that we received our news by way of the Pacific, and on the Atlantic side a land line from Buenos Ayres was served by another telegraphic agency whose Pross news came via Paris. Lisbon, and

Several times during the year the Pacific cable suffered sorious interruptions, some ped playing and came back in a body to from Buenos Ayres, and as I was also nows clerk for the other company, I may say at once that all the European Press intelligence was practically under my control. It would indeed be difficult to estimate

were by their own very expensive cablecopper boom, the Baring crisis, and many ness. For the day after all this highly Capt. & Mrs AndersonMr B. Hender

eigners do not employ it so generally. An came in rather disjointed English, make it up, translate into Spanish, hand it to the about 5 p.m.; by which time I was at my newspapers andsoribing to our news depart. - post. The first batches of European items ment, and correct the proofs, for which latter service I was paid by the Press.

business men in that country.

Very often the news transmitted was of very uninteresting character, at least to our South American public. It was on such occasions that I used to sail in with something sensational and striking. How often have I made the Czar of Russia the victim of horrible, but rather improbable, Nihilist and other conspiracies! How many times I have resuscitated good old Osman Digna in fresh attacks on Suskin and neighbourhood! How frequent have been the illnesses of the Iron Chancellor. and his quarrels with the Kniser ! When these would 'draw no more, I had to fall back on Boulanger, whose movements were chronicled by me with an exactitude that called forth the admiration of our reading public, who never failed to extol the splendid 'service' of news given by

Why, even the 'brav' general' himself would have gone into ecstasies had tho poor fellow but read of the deep and sympathetic interest some South American papers took in him. And to think that he has gone to his grave without ever reading them! So much for Boulanger! Then, perhaps, there were financial items on the board which many European papers, in Time, the great and ponderous 'Thun- said I, 'if I can arrange matters se that noderer, had according to my news that very | thing can be found out, you promise to morning published a long and exhaustive keep this a secret and take no further steps leader on our new loan, and it was a real in the matter?" I will, answered he. it sight to observe our business men on ron can show me the way to get out of it. Mr R. Murray Adam-Mr J. C. Marray "Change discussing the supposed effusion [I then sat down and wrote out the

in making away with a considerable amount manly pride, and exclaim with a certain bles us as follows: It was not King Hum- Mr Medhurst of money. Notice having been sent to this condescending bouhomie to their European bert, whose absence at the eleventh hour was Copt, and Mrs. Moore city from Kahding requesting the assistance colleagues, You see, after all, our credit of the Shanghai mandarios, two latter and is not bad in Europe. And then all would i miral who received the autograph lett caeded in arresting on auspicion a man at look very wise, and knowing amiles would, from President Carnot, The whole Anding who was eventually brought here, perhaps, by interchanged between some of On Tuesday night Mr Huang examined the the scaptics; but I solemnly affirm that of a most ourdist character. Baeno, se prisoner, who confessed, after various tor- none of them ever expressed the slightest Don Manuel, what about the manager tures such as chain-kneeling, bor-stretching, doubt that all this news was frue, and little the news agency? Well, said I eto , that he and twenty others visited the dreamt that it was fabricated by yours never spoke a word about the twenty days ago; half of them went in while look over the papers which arrived by mail is, he never reads the Press cablegran the other half stand outside to keep off in- a month or sixt weeks later, but no one He says they are a parcel of lies from truders. They were only armed with iron thought of it; and to imagine that I carried bars, and took agray four prohages of dollars on this little game successfully for the space the European news when the mail arrive

out, and within a point of fosing my and presently exclaimed ; Ay que bruto prisoner's share was ten dellars only, situation. Welt do I remember it as I shall be as you wish. So the next de him bow I had got over the difficulty. It little comment at all. There was no di This news had come by the Pacific cable, portance must be attached to the event, as conspiracy. Osman Digna, Boulanger Kung Humbert of Italy would be present, other gage, I never anticipated history But, as had luck would have it, our cable the Genoa and Kieg Rusobert affeir. just then became interrupted, and we had me also add that ex weeks after, when to depend on the land line from Buen a Avres. Of course, the French and Italian colony in our city waited; with great interest for news of the reception at Genos.

But now worse luck still awaited me. Just as we were receiving European items from Busnus Ayres and had got to Genus, a service message came through, enmouncing that the line over the Ander was broken in two places, and could not be repaired for thirty-air hours. Thirty-air. hours and no news from Genos ! And I, who knew, of course, beforehand, what is the only English Hair Restorer universally this news would be ! Something must be

that the French Admiral will deliver to

Moved beyond description at this last effusion. Don Manuel pressed me to his manly honous atid exclaimed, almost sobbthe news, but on your own hook, mind I rather winced at the latter remark, but. LIVER COMPLAINTS. -Dr King's Dandelion confident that all was O K., I made up the

Genoa, Bept. - 18 -. - The recontion of

the Brench fleet, un ler Admiral - by King Humbert, was of the most ademo and impressive character. At 11 a.m. yes-DEAFNESS COMPLETELY CURED! Any person torday morning, Admiral , accompinied suffering from Deafness, Notes in the Head. &c., may by the commanders of the surrering from Deafness, Noises in the Head, &c., may learn of a new, simple treatment, which is proving very successful in completely caring cases of all kinds. Full particulars, including many unsolicited testimonials and newspaper press notices, will be sent post free on app ication. The system is without doubt, the most successful ever brought before the public. Address, Admiral—and conducted at once to King Aural Specialist, Albany Buildings. St., Vactoria Street, Westminster, London. B. W. by the commanders of the from President Cornot was du'y delivered. To THE DEAY. - Herbert Clifton's new system | The King in a most able speech said as

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Humbert, three Italian Admirals, the-Ministers of Marine, and many illustrious political persons (names all given. o course) will be present. Too much political importance cannot, as may be easily understood, be attached to this event.' etc.

As may be readily imagined, this news created a great sir among the foreign readers. Brench and Italian residents in our city, hitherto elmost at daugers drawn. seemed to fraternize all at once. The messieurs and the signori were seen chatting and hobnobbing together, and many them were elso observed arm-in-arm vis ng the different newspaper offices in search of further intelligeres ment the great recondilation as they termed it. (And here was yours truly, glorying in his wich ed work, and, while laughing in his alcove all the time, accepting the congratulations and compliments showered on the news agency as all for himself alone. In the evening I visited the 'Cerole França's and were crowded with French and Italians. On entering I was officively received by all present, and, as I had no news work to deyou can just bet. And to think that all the while I saw those poor fellows to happy, Miss A. Lindholm the spirit of repentance never once stole

But Nemesis in her most awful form was other similar spocks of great importance to coloured news of mine had appeared in print, I received a service message an- Capt. W. Benson paired and Press news would be through at my aurprise when I read the following : -

> his wish not to meet the French squadron Mr & Mrs Geo. Eckley M.D. here, have caused universal comment. Many consider that any idea of a rapproche ment between France and Italy must now be at an end. The respective fleets have only interchanged the usual courteries, etc. Here was a pretty kettle of fish !-King Humbert, no autograph letter, no banquets, no sperches, no receptions, no othing! And the worst of it was, my editor had read this news and awaited me in his canctum. Thither I repaired. looking more like a beaten cur than the jovial colleague I usually was. 'Amigo,' said Don Manuel, as I entered, this is a very me your intention to anticipate European history I consented, on condition that you would take the responsibility; Believe me,

things are more serious than you imagine. The French and Italian resident Ministers Mr G. D'Arc may take action in this matter, and there Mr. W. J. D'Arc. may also be an interchange of diplomatic | Miss N. D'Arc notes with our Government. I shall be Miss Marie D'Arc cautioned, and you will perhaps be bani- Miss E. D'Arc shed from the country. their blissful ignorance of South American . A nice prospect this latter, but nothing matters, had not even noticed, or perhaps less than I deserved. However, I was equal heard of, and for very good reasons to . to the occasion. Don Manuel, I said, have The latest loan of our little Republic must you told anyone about the news?' 'No.'

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ginning to and. He much prefers to (And this, let me here state, was the fa But I was once very near being found | Don Manuel burst out into a fit of laugh

> However, this was a lesson to me, European papers had arrived, everybe even French and Italians, seemed to b forgotten all about the Genoa farce. least. I never heard anything more about and I usually keen my ours open pr

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